Annual Report

FOR THE TOWN OF

BATH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year Ending December 31

1960

TOWN OF BATH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

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IN MEMORY

of

EDWARD C. ATWOOD

RAYMOND M. LANG

JAMES H. NUTTER

Life long residents of the

Town of Bath

TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to the General Court
Arthur Gilbert

Moderator
George C. Minot

Town Clerk
Phyllis B. Schoff

Selectmen
Russell V. Armstrong—Term expires 1961
Edwin P. Chamberlin—Term expires 1962
Carroll C. Nihan—Term expires 1963

Treasurer
Alden Minot

Tax Collector
Kathlyn W. Quig

Highway Agent
Verne A. Sherman

Supervisors of the Check List
Holman C. Whitney
Henry Lang
Kenneth C. Church

Trustees of the Trust Funds
A. Paul Stimson—1961
Henry G. Smith—1962
Luigi J. Castello—1963

Library Trustees
Susan E. Morse—1961
Olga Armstrong—1962
Phoebe Carr—1963

Overseer of the Poor and Health Officer
Esther A. Whitney

Fire Chief and Fire Warden
Roscoe Olney

Auditor
Holman C. Whitney

Chief of Police
Arthur Joy

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Bath qualified to vote in town affairs. You are notified to meet at the Town Hall in Bath on Tuesday, March 14, 1961, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of the Trust Funds for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, a Treasurer, an Auditor, one or more Highway Agents, and all other necessary officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To hear the reports of officers and agents heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers' salaries and expenses, for repairs, maintenance and construction of highways and bridges, for the support of the poor, Town Library, for Old Age Assistance, for the protection of the public and all other necessary town charges and expenses for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of class 5 roads and to raise and appropriate or set aside the sum of $767.40 and the State will contribute $5,116.02

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $100.00 for the towns' share of cooperative participation in the White Mountains Region Association.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take on the following question: Shall the provisions of the Laws relative to the playing games of beano be adopted in this Town?.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commimssion to have an audit made by the Municipal Accounting Division, and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to dispense with the delivery of inventory blanks until April 1st.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through the Tax Collector's deed.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take in regard to observing a 200th anniversary.

Article 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 20th day of January, 1961.

RUSSELL V. ARMSTRONG

EDWIN P. CHAMBERLIN

CARROLL C. NIHAN

Selectmen of Bath, N. H.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BATH, N. H.

For The Year 1961

Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961, Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961
SOURCES OF REVENUE			
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 500.00	$ 410.01	$ 400.00
Railroad Tax	100.00	46.64	50.00
Savings Bank Tax	120.00	154.79	120.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		125.75	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	150.00	172.80	150.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	300.00	300.00	300.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	200.00	233.02	200.00
Highway, incl. rental of equipment	150.00	555.00	300.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,200.00	3,485.89	3,200.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @$2	500.00	439.00	500.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00	28.00	28.00
Yield Taxes	800.00	1,295.18	1,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$6,048.00	$7,246.98	$ 6,248.00
*Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes			
Town Taxes			22,122.00
School Taxes			36,796.53
TOTAL REVENUES			$65,166.53

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BATH, N. H.

For The Year 1961

Estimates of Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961, Compared with Estimated and Actual Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1960	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1960	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1961
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,300.00	$1,217.00	$1,300.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,300.00	1,222.60	1,300.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00	458.00	100.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	600.00	360.99	600.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	450.00	671.09	600.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	100.00	3.00	100.00
Fire Department	1,000.00	1,072.41	1,000.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	200.00	200.00	200.00
Insurance	1,200.00	1,542.22	1,400.00
Damage by Dogs			50.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	100.00		100.00
Civil Defense	50.00	172.26	50.00
Health:			
Health Dept., incl. Hospitals	550.00	541.10	550.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	25.25	25.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	40.00	81.00	50.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	9,000.00	21,112.60	9,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	3,000.00	3,911.61	3,000.00
Street Lighting.	580.00	579.00	580.00
General Exp. of Highway Dept.	1,000.00	439.02	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	771.21	771.21	767.40
Libraries	625.00	695.54	625.00

Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	500.00	562.49	500.00
Old Age Assistance	700.00	829.02	800.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playground, incl. Band Concerts	40.00	33.50	40.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	700.00	1,461.18	700.00
Advertising and Regional Assn.	97.54	97.54	100.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	350.00	367.49	350.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:			
New Equipment			2,000.00
County Taxes	2,100.00	2,280.82	2,300.00
School Taxes	34,787.03	35,386.60	36,796.53
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$61,365.76	$66,094.54	$65,166.53

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

TITLE OF APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Expended	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,300.00	$132.00	$1,432.00	$1,217.00	$215.00	$
Town Officers' Expenses	1,300.00		1,300.00	1,222.60	77.40	
Election and Registration	200.00		200.00	458.00		258.00
Town Hall	600.00	300.00	900.00	360.99	539.01	
Police	100.00		100.00	3.00	97.00	
Fire Department	1,000.00	125.75	1,125.75	1,072.41	53.34	
Blister Rust	200.00	.70	200.70	200.00	.70	
Insurance	1,200.00	109.95	1,309.95	1,542.22		132.27
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00	172.26		122.26
Health	550.00		550.00	541.10	8.90	
Vital Statistics	25.00		25.00	25.25		.25
Town Dump	40.00		40.00	81.00		41.00
Highways and Bridges	13,000.00	9,037.23	22,037.23	25,463.23		3,426.00
Libraries	625.00		625.00	695.54		70.54
Town Poor	500.00		500.00	562.49		62.49
Old Age Assistance	700.00	132.79	832.79	829.21	3.58	
Parks and Playgrounds	40.00		40.00	33.50	6.50	
Cemeteries	700.00	562.85	1,262.85	1,461.18		198.33
Damages and Legal Expense	100.00		100.00		100.00	
White Mountains Region Assn.	97.54		97.54	97.54		
Retirement and Social Security	450.00		450.00	671.09		221.09
Interest	350.00		350.00	367.49		17.49
County Tax	2,100.00		2,100.00	2,280.82		180.82
TOTAL					$1,101.43	
TOTAL						$4,730.54
Overdraft less Unexpended Balance						$3,629.11

INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings	$ 697,525.00
Mills and Machinery	26,800.00
Electric Trans. Lines	216,193.00
House Trailers	2,600.00
Stock in Trade	8,000.00
Horses (11)	550.00
Cows (941)	70,305.00
Neat Stock (101)	4,040.00
Fowls (2,400)	1,175.00
Gasoline Pumps	1,100.00
Aqueducts	1,500.00
	$1,029,788.00
Less Veterans' Exemptions	27,600.00
NET VALUATION	$1,002,188.00

VALUATION BY DISTRICTS

Bath School District	$ 928,666.00
Woodsville School District	95,732.00
Landaff School District	5,390.00
TOTAL	$1,002,188.00

TAX RATES

Town Rate	$2.17
School Rate	3.67
TOTAL	$5.84

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$12,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	2,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	3,500.00
Highway Department and Equipment	7,500.00
Water Supply	4,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	12,000.00
Swiftwater Property	200.00
Bath Village Property	750.00
Paradie Farm	2,000.00
Total	$44,950.00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1960

Motor Vehicle Permits:	
1959: Nos. 16219 through 16224	$ 11.62
1960: Nos. 15801 through 16218	3,474.27
419 Permits	$3,485.89
Dog Licenses for 65 Males, 4 Females and 2 Kennels. 1959: No. 67; 1960: Nos. 1 through 70	
71 Dogs	$187.00
Less Fees	14.20
	$172.80
1 Filing Fee	2.00

Receipts

419 Auto Permits	$3,485.89
71 Dog Licenses	172.80
1 Filing Fee	2.00
	$3,660.69

Credits

Paid to Alden Minot, Treasurer	$3,660.69

Town of Bath	**BALANCE**
ASSETS	
Cash in hands of Treasurer	$21,388.30
Unredeemed Taxes:	
(from tax sale on account of)	
Levy of 1959	77.47
Levy of 1958	59.63
Previous Years	41.63
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1960	7,351.05
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1960	340.00
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	65.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$29,323.08

SHEET **Dec. 31, 1960**

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Bills Outstanding—Checks	$1,778.00
Due to State:	
State Head Taxes—1960	405.00
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	24,171.18
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$26,354.18
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	2,968.90
GRAND TOTAL	$29,323.08

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES LEVY OF 1960

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	$54,985.13		
Poll Taxes	548.00		
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00		
Total Warrant		$55,561.13	
Yield Taxes		1,720.86	
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes	115.16		
Poll Taxes	8.00		
		123.16	
Interest Collected		2.34	
TOTAL DEBITS			$57,407.49

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	$48,031.90		
Poll Taxes	439.90		
National Bank Stock Taxes	28.00		
Yield Taxes	1,295.18		
Interest Collected	2.34		
		$49,797.32	
Abatements:			
Property Taxes	251.12		
Poll Taxes	8.00		
		259.12	
Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:			
Property Taxes	$ 6,817.27		
Poll Taxes	108.10		
Yield Taxes	425.68		
		7,351.05	
TOTAL CREDITS			$57,407.49

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PREVIOUS YEARS

Debits

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Uncollected Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1960:					
Property Taxes	$5,786.07	$ 67.83	$47.86	$ 1.13	$
Poll Taxes	100.00	8.70	6.00	4.00	4.00
Yield Taxes	181.27	34.68		15.36	
ADDED TAXES:					
Property Taxes	3.18				
Poll Taxes	18.00	2.00			
Yield Taxes	51.85				
Int. col. During Year	223.83	.69	.23	5.53	.40
TOTAL DEBITS	$6,364.20	$113.90	$54.09	$26.02	$4.40

Credits

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Remittances to Treasurer during year ended Dec. 31, 1960:					
Property Taxes	$5,711.78	$ 8.20	$ 6.23	$ 1.13	$
Poll Taxes	100.00	6.70		3.06	2.00
Yield Taxes	60.67				
Int. col. During Year	223.83	.69	.23	5.53	.40
Abatements	10.00				2.00
Uncollected Taxes, as per Collector's List:					
Property	77.47	59.63	41.63		
Poll	8.00	4.00	6.00	.94	
Yield	172.45	34.68		$15.36	
TOTAL CREDITS	$6,364.20	$113.90	$54.09	$26.02	$4.40

TOWN OF BATH
SUMMARY OF WARRANTS — STATE HEAD TAXES

Debits

	1960	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:	$1,655.00	$	$	$	$	$
Original Warrant	40.00					
Added Taxes		300.00	35.00	25.00	20.00	1.05
Uncollected State Head Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960:		45.00				
Added Taxes	5.50	30.00	2.00	1.00	1.50	.50
Penalties Collected						
TOTAL DEBITS	$1,700.50	$375.00	$37.00	$26.00	$21.50	$1.55

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:	$1,340.00	$295.00	$20.00	$10.00	$15.00	$1.05
State Head Taxes	5.50	30.00	2.00	1.00	1.50	.50
Penalties	15.00	20.00				
Abatements	340.00	30.00	15.00	15.00	5.00	
Uncollected Taxes, As Per Collector's List						
TOTAL CREDITS	$1,700.50	$375.00	$37.00	$26.00	$21.50	$1.55

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1960

Debits

	1959	1958	1957	Previous Years
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	$1,452.61	$	$	$
(b) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1960		1,230.15	576.51	294.20
Interest Collected after Sale, and Redemption Costs		51.71	17.40	
	$1,452.61	$1,281.86	$593.91	$294.20

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Year	$ 156.61	$ 743.91	$135.72	$ 11.00
Deeded During Year	94.48	75.37	77.12	50.88
Unredeemed Taxes, at Close of Year	1,201.52	462.58	381.07	232.32
	$1,452.61	$1,281.86	$593.91	$294.20

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Cash on Hand January 1, 1960		$31,902.02
Rec. from Kathlyn Quig, Tax Collector:		
Property taxes 1960	48,031.90	
Property taxes 1959	5,711.78	
Property taxes 1958	8.20	
Property taxes 1957	6.23	
Property taxes 1956	1.13	
Polls 1960	439.90	
Polls 1959	100.00	
Polls 1958	6.70	
Polls 1956-55	5.06	
Head Tax 1960	1,340.00	
Head Tax 1959	295.00	
Head Tax 1958	20.00	
Head Tax 1957	10.00	
Head Tax 1956-55	16.05	
Head Tax penalties 1960	5.50	
Head Tax penalties 1959	30.00	
Head Tax penalties 1958	2.00	
Head Tax penalties 1957-56-55	3.00	
National Bank Stock	28.00	
Redemptions	1,047.24	
Interest 1960	2.34	
Interest 1959	223.83	
Interest 1958-57-56-55	6.85	
Yield Tax 1960	1,295.18	
Yield Tax 1959	60.67	
		$58,696.56
Rec. from Phyllis B. Schoff, Town Clerk:		
Auto permits	$ 3,485.89	
Dog licenses	172.80	
		$ 3,658.69

Rec. from State Treasurer:		
Savings Bank Tax	$ 154.79	
Reimbursement Head Tax expenses	13.83	
Reimbursement TRA (wages)	5,505.69	
Interest and Dividends Tax	410.01	
Railroad Tax	46.64	
Road Toll refund	169.82	
Porcupine refund	73.50	
Old Age Assistance refund	132.79	
Forest fire refund	81.47	
Fire warden's services	44.28	
Blister rust refund	.70	
Use of equipment	420.00	
Class V highways	2,976.54	
		$10,030.06
Rec. from Treasurer of United States:		
Rent of town property (Paradie farm)	264.00	
		$ 264.00

Miscellaneous:		
Hall rent	$ 60.00	
Postoffice rent	240.00	
Woodsville Nat'l Bank notes	20,000.00	
Income from Trust Funds	562.85	
Trust Funds	300.00	
Town of Landaff	135.00	
Sale of Culverts	74.64	
Cemetery lots	57.50	
Refund on insurance premium	88.98	
Insurance dividend	20.97	
Commission on pay phone	6.45	
		$ 30,546.39
		$126.097.72

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's orders paid	$104,693.76	
Bank service charge	15.66	
		$104,709.42
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961		21,388.30
		$126,097.72

ALDEN W. MINOT

Treasurer

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—1960	$48,031.90	
Poll Taxes—1960	439.90	
National Bank Stock Taxes—1960	28.00	
Yield Taxes—1960	1,295.18	
State Head Taxes @ $5—1960	1,340.00	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		$51,134.98
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years		5,788.01
Poll Taxes—Previous Years		111.76
State Head Taxes @ $5—Previous Years		$341.05
Interest received on Taxes		233.02
Penalties on State Head Taxes		40.50
Tax Sales redeemed		1,047.24

From State:

For Town Road Aid (Wage Refund T.R.A.—Help Paid by Town)	5,505.69
For Class V Highway maintenance	2,976.54
Interest and Dividends Tax	410.01
Railroad Tax	46.64
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	154.79
Fighting forest fires	125.75
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	169.82
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	132.79
Bounties	73.50

PAYMENTS Year Ended Dec. 31, 1960

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officer's salaries	$ 1,217.00
Town officer's expenses	1,222.60
Election and registration expenses	458.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	3.00
Fire department, including forest fires	1,072.41
Insurance	1,542.22
Civil Defense	172.26
Bounties	113.00

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	541.10
Vital statistics	25.25
Town dumps and garbage removal	81.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance (Summer—$21,112.60) (Winter—$3,911.61)	25,024.21
Street lighting	579.00
General Expense of Highway Department	439.02

RECEIPTS (Continued)

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses		172.80
Rent of town property		300.00
Registration of motor vehicles, (1960 permits)		3,485.89

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	20,000.00	
New Trust Funds received during year	300.00	
Sale of town property, Cemetery Lots	57.50	

PAYMENTS (Continued)

Libraries:	
Libraries	695.54
Public Welfare:	
Old age assistance	829.21
Town poor	562.49
Recreation:	
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	33.50
Public Service Enterprises:	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,461.18
Unclassified:	
Advertising and Regional Associations	97.54
Taxes bought by town	1,452.61
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	13.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	671.09
Interest:	
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	367.49

RECEIPTS (Continued)

Cemetery Trust Funds	562.85	
Use of Equipment	555.00	
Tel. Booths	6.45	
Insurance Refund	109.95	
Head Tax Refund	13.83	
Blister Rust	.70	
Sale Culverts	74.64	
Paradie Farm—Soil Land Bank	264.00	
TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE		$ 21,944.22
TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		$ 94,195.70
Cash on hand January 1, 1960		25,340.23
GRAND TOTAL		$119,535.93

PAYMENTS (Continued)

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	20,000.00	

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes	1,617.50	
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	334.79	
Taxes paid to County	2,280.82	
Payments to School Districts	35,386.60	
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		$ 99,925.63
Cash on hand December 31, 1960		19,610.30
GRAND TOTAL		$119,535.93

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries

Phyllis B. Schoff, Clerk	$292.00	
Alden Minot, Treasurer	75.00	
Henry G. Smith, Trustee	25.00	
George C. Minot, Moderator	30.00	
Esther A. Whitney, Overseer of Poor (2 years)	170.00	
Holman C. Whitney, Auditor	75.00	
Russell V. Armstrong, Selectman	100.00	
Edwin P. Chamberlin, Selectman	100.00	
Carroll C. Nihan, Selectman	100.00	
Kathlyn W. Quig, Tax Collector	250.00	
		$1,217.00

Detail 2. Town Officers' Expenses

Bank service charge	$ 15.66
N. E. Telephone Co.	73.65
Mildred Haynes, Postage	35.76
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	42.96
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	13.12
State of N. H. Map	2.00
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	10.83
State of N.H., Trailer rpt.	2.00
Alden Minot, copying blotter	10.00
Sargent Bros, Tax bills	20.25
Assoc. N. H. Assessors, dues	3.00
Tax Collectors' Assoc., dues	3.00
E. P. Chamberlin, Exp. & supplies	253.42
R. V. Armstrong, Exp.	150.00
C. C. Nihan, Expenses	150.00
Anna Proctor, Probate Trans.	.10
Chas Woods, Deed Trans.	11.17
Courier Printing Co., Town reports	315.40

F. Sherwin & Son, supplies	4.00	
Kathlyn W. Quig, Expenses	81.28	
Esther Whitney, Expenses	25.00	
		$1,222.60

Detail 3. Election and Registration

Madline Whitcomb, Ballot clerk	$ 29.00	
Margaret Richardson, Ballot clerk	19.00	
Marion Whitney, Ballot clerk	9.00	
Esther Whitney, Ballot clerk	27.00	
Henry Lang, Supervisor	111.00	
K. C. Church, Supervisor	80.00	
Holman Whitney, Supervisor	55.00	
Donald Hill, voting booths	128.00	
		$458.00

Detail 4. Town Hall

Bath Village Water Co.	$ 20.00	
Harry Blake, repairs	30.00	
Conn. Valley, Elec.	139.53	
Horace Woods, janitor	160.00	
Stymest Co., supplies	11.46	
		$360.99

Detail 5. Police

Arthur Joy		$3.00

Detail 6. Fire Dept.

Emily Jewell	$ 17.01	
Cray Oil Co.	105.18	
Gorham Fire Equip. Co.	71.03	
Treas. N. H.	1.00	
H. O. Taylor	132.56	
Harry Lovell Co.	462.00	

Vale Badger	9.50	
Roscoe Olney, a/c fires forest	181.36	
Geo. Quig, supplies	16.77	
Woodsville Fire Dist., hydrants	40.00	
Woodsville Fire Dist., Chamberlin fire	36.00	
		$1,072.41

Detail 7. Blister Rust

William Messick, State Forester	$200.00

Detail 8. Bounties

R. V. Armstrong	$ 9.00	
Arthur Minot	13.00	
Reymer Carr	5.50	
Spencer Richardson	2.50	
Ernest Roy	4.50	
Tony Locke	8.50	
George Towle	22.00	
Ernest Laundre	1.00	
Charles Lane	11.00	
Ray Crawford	7.50	
Ed. Harris	2.00	
Bruce Simmonds	2.00	
C. C. Nihan	3.50	
John Badger	1.00	
R. V. Armstrong Jr.	6.50	
Joe Wheeler	1.50	
Gary Chamberlin	1.50	
Gary Peters	1.50	
Earl Cole	2.50	
		$113.00

Detail 9. Insurance

Farm Bureau	$ 13.58

Wayne J. Whitcomb	195.96	
Houstan Agency	27.27	
Dearth Agency	45.00	
George Quig	1,260.41	
		$1,542.22

Detail 10. Civil Defense

George Quig	$ 3.00	
Treasurer, State of N. H.	169.26	
		$172.26

Detail 11. Health

Woodsville Cottage Hospital	$500.00	
Esther Whitney, supplies and expenses	41.10	
		$541.10

Detail 12. Vital Statistics

Phyllis B. Schoff, Clerk		$25.25

Detail 13. Dump

George Poor, rent 2 years	$40.00	
H. Alvin, bulldozing	25.00	
Ervin Dodge, bulldozing	16.00	
		$81.00

Detail 14. Highways and Bridges—Summer

Labor

Verne A. Sherman	$2,522.11
David Lang	1,977.86
Fred Moses	1,324.09
Bertram Fenoff	867.77
Clyde Tewksbury	434.08
Newton Dyke	155.83

Errol Peters	544.81	
Linwood Tewksbury	345.05	
Raymond Burton	419.45	
Waldo Peters	311.41	
Reymer Carr	211.54	
Danny Brill	9.60	
Henry Richardson	10.67	
K. Quig, for tax of N.D.	12.94	
George Woods	2.00	
Director Internal Revenue	505.72	
		$9,654.93

Machine Hire

Wm. Presby	$ 640.50	
Ervin Dodge	1,541.60	
A. Biglow	569.90	
George Tetreault	10.08	
Winfred Parker	1,642.40	
Waldo Peters	310.00	
Town of Benton	574.00	
Felix Levigne	110.70	
Town of Landaff	229.60	
Fred Moses	19.00	
A. Burt	5.00	
Carroll Foster	24.00	
Douglas Bascomb	46.46	
Moulton Const. Co.	574.00	
Arthur Minot	3.00	
Frances Aldrich	60.00	
		$6,360.24

Gas Oil and Fuel

W. J. Larty	$ 197.48
Stymest Co.	384.18
Emily Jewell	343.95

Cray Oil Co.	7.08	
George Quig	132.51	
		$1,070.20

Gravel

George Poor	$195.00	
R. V. Armstrong	45.00	
Wm. Presby	48.00	
Nellie Smith	465.75	
		$753.75

Repairs Labor and Supplies

G. A. Clark and Son	$492.98	
H. O. Taylor	23.75	
Ideal Welding Co.	151.70	
Magnolia Machine Co	10.38	
Interstate Eqpt. Co.	273.08	
Armstrong & Botsford	26.00	
Slim's Service	27.81	
Mr. Thompson	10.00	
Woodsville Welding	2.00	
Benjamin Threshea	12.50	
New England Hardwood Corp.	12.00	
		$1,042.20

Supplies

Scruggs Hardware	$ 89.50	
C. H. Whittier	1,010.74	
Raymond Hill	11.25	
Forniea Stores	359.00	
Eastern States	32.95	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	344.12	
Robert Varney	206.40	
Wirthmore Stores	67.43	

Black Top	43.75	
Merrimack Farmers Exc.	32.52	
Hartley Hardware	33.62	
		$2,231.28
Total Summer		$21,112.60

Of this $5,505.69 was paid to the town by the state for T.R.A.

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE—WINTER

Labor		
Verne A. Sherman	$971.56	
David Lang	166.09	
Bertram Fenoff	98.00	
Clyde Tewksbury	231.59	
Newton Dyke	5.50	
Erroll Peters	13.77	
Waldo Peters	59.65	
Reymer Carr	325.18	
Henry Richardson	38.41	
Dean Robinson	74.35	
Director Internal Revenue	186.00	
		$2,170.10
Machine Hire		
Wm. Presby	$15.00	
Ervin Dodge	8.20	
		23.20
Repairs, Labor and Parts		
G. A. Clark	$142.73	
H. O. Taylor	119.96	
Ideal Welding Co.	231.44	
Magnolia Machine Co.	74.19	
		$568.32
Supplies		
Arthur Minot	$ 4.00	
Farm Machinery Co.	45.48	
International Salt	499.20	
Scruggs Hardware	17.07	
Roland Ames	32.51	

Eastern States	42.50	
		$640.76
Gas, Oil and Fuel		
W. J. Larty	$ 64.47	
Emily Jewell	272.35	
Cray Oil Co.	27.41	
George Quig	145.00	
		$509.23
Total Winter		$3,911.61
Total Highway and Bridges Winter and Summer		$25,024.21

Detail 15. T.R.A. (Town Road Aid)

State of New Hampshire		$771.21

Detail 16. Street Lighting

Conn. Valley Electric Co.		$579.00

Detail 17. General Expenses of the Highway Dept.

New England Metal Culvert Co.	$182.80	
G. A. Clark and Son	256.22	
		$439.02

Detail 18. Libraries

W. J. Larty, Fuel	$ 70.54	
Olga Armstrong, Trustee Appro.	625.00	
		$695.54

Detail 19. Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire		$829.21

Detail 20. Town Poor

Esther Whitney, expenses	$ 25.00	
Butsons Market, aid for veteran	125.00	
Wirthmore Stores, aid for veteran	29.60	
A.P. Store, A. Young	60.00	

Kelley Store, A. Young	164.21	
Town of Littleton, Galen Wilson	98.68	
First National Stores	60.00	
		$562.49

Detail 21. Parks and Playgrounds

Allen Aldrich	$ 3.00	
R. V. Armstrong Jr.	18.00	
Pine Grove Grange, cleaning monument	12.50	
		$33.50

Detail 22. Cemeteries

Mt. Gardner Grange, Carbee	$ 11.89	
Henry Lang, Sexton	911.25	
Arthur Burt, Labor	185.54	
Arthur Young, Sexton	280.00	
C. W. Chamberlin	10.00	
Ideal Welding	6.00	
Raymond Miller, chain saw	17.50	
Armstrong & Botsford, repairs	39.00	
		$1,461.18

($562.85 was received from the trustees of the trust funds and used upon the lots for which the funds were established.)

Detail 23. Advertising

White Mts. Reg. Assoc.	$97.54

Detail 24. Taxes Bought by Town

Kathlyn W. Quig, Collector	$1,452.61

Detail 25. Refunds

Harold Carr, for check lost in 1956	$13.00

Detail 26. Retirement and Social Security

State of New Hampshire	$671.09

Detail 27. New Trust Funds

E. C. Atwood est.		$300.00

Detail 28. Interest

Woodsville Savings Bank	$222.50	
Woodsville National Bank	144.99	
		$367.49

Detail 29. Temporary Loans

Woodsville Savings Bank	$10,000.00	
Woodsville National Bank	$10,000.00	
		$20,000.00

Detail 30. Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

State of New Hampshire, Debt Retirement	$ 334.79	
State of New Hampshire, Head Taxes	1,617.50	
Lawrence Colby, County Tax	2,280.82	
		$4,233.11

Detail 31. School Districts

Alden Minot, Treas. Bath School Dist.		
1959-60 appro.	$26,386.60	
1960-61, appro.	9,000.00	
		$35,386.60
TOTAL PAYMENTS		$99,925.63

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books, records, vouchers and bank statements of all Town of Bath officers, the above being a true summary, and find them correct in all respects.

HOLMAN C. WHITNEY
Auditor

January 27, 1961

LIBRARY REPORT

Receipts

Balance on hand	$ 823.75
Town appropriation	625.00
Trust fund	6.20
Fines	1.50
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$1,456.45

Expenditures

Books	$ 406.95
Periodicals	54.85
Insurance	28.28
Cleaning	2.50
Librarian's salary	175.00
Stamps and supplies	7.37
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$ 674.95
Balance on hand	$ 781.50

SUSAN E. MORSE

OLGA ARMSTRONG

PHOEBE CARR

Library Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Resources

Number of bound volumes, January, 1960	9,706
Number of volumes added by gift and purchase	177
Number of magazines	20

Circulation

Volumes of adult non-fiction loaned	497
Volumes of juvenile non-fiction loaned	366
Volumes of adult fiction loaned	2,108
Volumes of juvenile fiction loaned	1,645
Adult magazines loaned	1,057
Juvenile magazines loaned	296

In addition to our own purchases, the State Bookmobile made available,

Volumes of adult non-fiction	154
Volumes of adult fiction	193
Volumes of juvenile fiction and non-fiction	423

ELLEN S. CHASE

Librarian

REPORT TO HEALTH OFFICER

Town of Bath, N. H.

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1960

Three Well Child conferences and immunization clinics for polio, smallpox, Whooping cough, tetanus and diphtheria were held at the Lisbon town hall and the children of Bath were included in these clinics.

The intradermal tuberculin Heaf test was given to the 1st. and 8th. grade pupils, the teachers and kitchen workers. Postive reactors have follow up x-ray and all contacts tested. This is conducted by the N. H. State Health Department in cooperation with health officer, superintendent of school and school nurse.

Home visits were made to preschool children and adults when needed.

My sincere thanks for the cooperation received.

Respectfully submitted,

LORETTA B. RUSSELL, R. N.

Public Health Nurse

N. H. State Health Department

Lincoln, N. H.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Receipts and Disbursements

for the Year Ended December 31, 1960

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1960	$ 443.90	
Income from Trust Funds	830.69	
		$1,274.59

Disbursements

Paid:		
Bath School District	$ 43.98	
Library	6.20	
Congregational Society	259.96	
Town of Bath	526.85	
Balance on hand December 31, 1960	401.60	
		$1,274.59

A. PAUL STIMSON

HENRY G. SMITH

LUIGI J. CASTELLO

Trustees of Trust Funds

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Bath, on December 31, 1960

Date Created	Name of Fund	Name of Donor	Where Invested	Present Principal	Workable Income Beginning of Year	Yearly Income	Expended	Balance
1880	Hibbard	Sarah K. Hibbard	Lisbon	$774.38		$23.75	$23.75	
1896	Hutchins	Henry C. Hutchins	Woodsville	1,500.00		45.33	45.33	
1896	Simonds	William Simonds	Lisbon	393.13		12.07	12.07	
1909	French	D. H. French	Lisbon	88.18		2.69	2.69	
1912	Carbee	Henry C. Carbee	Lisbon	393.13		12.07	12.07	
1917	Jackman	Ser'phe R. Jackman	Lisbon	774.38	$78.06	26.06	20.00	$84.12
1918	Abbott	Miss Myra Abbott	Lisbon	88.39		2.71	2.71	
1918	Gray	Benjamin Gray	Lisbon	50.00		1.52	1.52	
1919	Parker	Elvira Parker	Lisbon	50.00		1.52	1.52	
1919	Bailey	Marcia S. Bailey	Lisbon	50.00	15.39	2.04	6.00	11.43
1920	Knight	Wm. K. Knight	Lisbon	50.00		1.52	1.52	
1920	Bean	Jerome Bean	Lisbon	88.30		2.72	2.72	
1921	Thorn	Mrs. Juliette Thorn	Lisbon	50.00		1.52	1.52	
1922	Lang	Newton Lang	Lisbon	200.00		6.14	6.14	
1923	Wells	Fred P. Wells	Lisbon	88.29		2.69	2.69	
1923	Mansfield	Lucy B. Mansfield	Lisbon	88.35		2.71	2.71	
1924	Pettyboro	Cemetery Fund	Lisbon	268.13		8.22	8.22	
1924	Thayer	S. G. Thayer	Lisbon	88.29		2.69	2.69	
1925	Belden	Sanborn W. Belden	Lisbon	88.48	2.04	2.88	4.92	
1925	Johnson	E. H. Johnson	Lisbon	1,157.47		34.46	34.46	
1926	Carroll	John M. Carroll	Lisbon	88.26		2.69	2.69	
1926	Kimball	Kate J. Kimball	Lisbon	88.23		2.69	2.69	
1926	Moulton	Frances Moulton	Lisbon	88.24		2.69	2.69	

1927	Sawyer	William H. Sawyer	Lisbon	3,976.88		122.03	122.03	
1927	Sawyer	William H. Sawyer	Woodsville	4,563.84		137.93	137.93	
1927	Hatt	Henry Hatt	Lisbon	88.19		2.69	2.69	
1928	Dick	Edwin Dick	Lisbon	50.00		1.52	1.52	
1928	Hibbard	Clarence E. Hibbard	Lisbon	88.20		2.69	2.69	
1928	Morse	Ada S. Morse	Lisbon	88.18		2.69	2.69	
1929	Whitcher	Agr'so's of D. Whit.	Lisbon	164.50		5.05	5.05	
1929	Smith	Josephine S. Lang	Lisbon	88.15		2.69	2.69	
1929	Childs	Rosina Childs	Lisbon	100.00		3.07	3.07	
1929	War Heroes	Kate J. Kimball	Lisbon	202.50		6.20	6.20	
1929	Reserve Fund	Est'd. in 1928	Lisbon	47.70	52.27	3.01		55.28
1929	Nelson	Mrs. H. W. Nelson	Lisbon	88.16		2.69	2.69	
1930	Sargent	Harvey Sargent	Lisbon	88.14		2.69	2.69	
1931	Burbank	H. D. Burbank	Lisbon	88.13		2.69	2.69	
1931	Child	Mrs. Juliette Thorn	Lisbon	88.17	18.66	3.29	15.00	6.95
1933	Chamberlin	H. Chamberlin	Woodsville	300.00	48.05	10.52	20.00	38.57
1933	Ricker	Mrs. H. Folger	Woodsville	150.00	.13	4.53	4.66	
1934	Prescott	Abbie P. Hildreth	Woodsville	50.00		1.50	1.50	
1934	Poor	Henry H. Poor	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1934	West Bath	Cemetery	Woodsville	1,000.00		30.23	30.23	
1935	Whitcher	Lizzie Whitcher	Woodsville	150.00		4.53	4.53	
1936	Aldrich	Charles Aldrich	Woodsville	95.00	16.44	3.37	6.00	13.81
1936	Snow	Sarah Simonds	Woodsville	100.00	20.56	3.63	6.00	18.19
1936	Simonds	Sarah Simonds	Woodsville	1,000.00		30.23	30.23	
1937	Bartlett	Russell T. Bartlett	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1937	Bartlett	Russell T. Bartlett	Woodsville	100.00	5.06	3.17	5.00	3.23
1937	Nelson	Martha L. Nelson	Woodsville	100.00	2.96	3.09	5.00	1.05
1938	Nutter	Althea Thayer	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1939	Foster	Jas. W. Foster	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1941	Southard	T. B. Southard	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1943	Corey	Mrs. Sheridan Corey	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	

1945	Reed	Julia M. Reed	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1946	Knight	Mrs. Belle Fullam	Woodsville	50.00		1.50	1.50	
1946	Southard	Will B. Southard	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1947	Reed	Albert M. Reed	Woodsville	200.00	12.83	6.42	6.00	13.25
1948	Simmons	Susan Simmons	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1948	Knight	Lucy Knight	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1948	Foster	Herbert C. Foster	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1949	Quimby	Grover C. Quimby	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
		Cora L. Gunn						
1950	Allie	Fred Allie	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1950	Libby	Ida M. Libby	Woodsville	500.00	54.99	16.76	15.00	56.75
1950	Conant	Myrtie Conant	Woodsville	300.00	4.95	9.20	12.00	2.15
1950	Blandin	Katherine M. Blandin	Woodsville	500.00	27.26	15.94	20.00	23.20
1951	Oakes	E. I. Oakes Estate	Woodsville	200.00	5.07	6.20	5.00	6.27
1951	Clark	G. T. Clark	Woodsville	200.00	5.34	6.20	8.00	3.54
1952	Wheeler	Amos G. Wheeler	Woodsville	200.00	6.41	6.23	8.00	4.64
1952	Day-Burbank	Day-Burbank	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1952	Nihan	Carroll Nihan	Woodsville	200.00	9.53	6.32	6.00	9.85
1952	Hibbard	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	5.58	6.20	10.00	1.78
1952	Bedell	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	5.58	6.20	10.00	1.78
1952	Deming	Annie M. Hibbard	Woodsville	200.00	10.58	6.35	6.00	10.93
1954	Child	Dwight P. Child	Woodsville	300.00	21.69	9.71	15.00	16.40
1955	Foster	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	150.00		4.53	4.53	
1955	Foster	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	150.00		4.53	4.53	
1955	Fields	Mrs. Chas. Fields	Woodsville	250.00		7.55	7.55	
1956	Morse	Mrs. Eva Bailey	Woodsville	300.00	13.22	9.46	5.31	17.37
1958	Brill	Frank Brill	Woodsville	100.00		3.02	3.02	
1958	Child	Edith M. Child	Woodsville	300.00		9.06	8.00	1.06
1958	Woods	Minot Woods	Woodsville	200.00		6.05	6.05	
1959	Poor	Hugh & Geo. Poor	Woodsville	500.00	1.25	15.14	16.39	
1960	Blake	Elbridge Blake	Woodsville	200.00		4.02	4.02	
1960	Atwood	Edward C. Atwood	Woodsville	300.00		1.50	1.50	
				$27,249.37	$443.90	$830.69	$872.99	$401.60

Annual Report

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of

BATH SCHOOL DISTRICT

for the

Fiscal Year

July 1, 1959 — June 30, 1960

ORGANIZATION OF BATH SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Board

Barbara Stimson, Chairman
Maxwell Stewart
Vale D. Badger

Moderator
Elie O. Roy

Truant Officer
Linwood Tewksbury

Clerk
Mrs. Phyllis Schoff

Health Officer
Mrs. Esther Whitney

Treasurer
Alden W. Minot

Auditor
George C. Minot

Superintendent of Schools
Phil A. Bennett

Teachers

A. Dean Cox, Bath Village, Grades 6-8, Prin.
Mrs. Avis L. White, Bath Village, Grades 3-5
Mrs. Marjorie Odell, Bath Village, Grades 1-2

Music Supervisor
Mrs. Charlotte Wilson

School Nurse
Mrs. Muriel LaMott, R. N.

Janitor
Linwood Tewksbury

Transporters

Stephen Burton
Edward W. Harris
Herbert Chamberlain, Jr.
Linwood Tewksbury

SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Bath qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 15th day of March, 1961, at eight o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, Auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid together with other income; the school board to

certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To act upon the following resolution: Resolved that the Bath School District petition the State Board of Education to become a member of a co-operative school district which may include, in addition to this district, the following school districts; namely, Haverhill, Woodsville, Monroe, Piermont, and Warren.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the application of any unanticipated income to expenses.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Bath this 10th day of January, 1961.

BARBARA STIMSON

MAXWELL STEWART

VALE D. BADGER

School Board of Bath

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

BARBARA STIMSON

MAXWELL STEWART

VALE D. BADGER

School Board of Bath

(This is a temporary warrant. Articles may be added until February 13.)

COMPARATIVE BUDGET

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BATH

	Financial Report 1959-1960 Expenditures	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Estimated Expenditures 1960-1961	Proposed Budget 1961-1962
Administration:				
*Salaries of District Officers	$280.00	$280.00	$280.00	$280.00
*Superintendent's Salary	341.33	305.05	305.05	349.53
*Tax for State-Wide Supervision	276.00	290.00	296.00	300.00
*Salaries of other Administrative Personnel	139.60	172.00	172.00	185.51
*Supplies and Expenses	264.88	285.00	285.00	265.00
Instruction:				
Principals' and Teachers' Salaries, Elementary	11,518.19	11,769.94	11,869.94	12,514.68
Books and Other Aids, Elementary	120.18	200.00	200.00	200.00
Scholars' Supplies, Elementary	700.73	738.00	738.00	716.04
Supplies and Other Expenses, Elementary	125.47	50.00	75.00	75.00
Operation of School Plant:				
Salaries of Janitors, Elementary	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Fuel or Heat, Elementary	511.89	500.00	500.00	500.00
Water, Light, Supplies, Elementary	246.70	275.00	275.00	275.00
Maintenance of School Plant:				
Repairs and Replacements, Elementary	537.57	600.00	550.00	750.00
Auxiliary Activities				
Health Supervision, Elementary	264.26	265.00	265.00	280.00

Transportation, High School	3,066.70	2,675.00	3,040.20	2,675.00
Transportation, Elementary	4,385.42	4,467.00	4,151.80	4,467.00
Tuition, High School	15,631.92	16,375.00	16,260.00	17,576.00
Tuition, Elementary	5,045.00	4,780.00	4,628.60	4,966.00
Special Activities, etc., Elementary	177.14	100.00	50.00	50.00
School Lunch, Elementary	1,195.68	750.00	828.00	825.00
Fixed Charges:				
*Retirement	838.12	642.43	647.49	756.45
Social Security		207.11	207.90	218.88
Insurance, Treasurer's Bonds, etc.	34.03	209.50	209.46	209.46
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	$46,200.81	$46,436.03	$46,334.44	$48,934.55
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$46,200.81	$46,436.03	$46,334.44	$48,934.55

* The starred items are required by law to be raised as determined by the proper authorities. The district determines the salaries of the district officers. The supervisory union board decides the local share of the superintendent's salary and other union expenses. The supervisory union's share of the Superintendent's salary for 1961-1962 is $5,665.00 with $1,250.00 allowed for travel. The State Treasurer reports the amount of the per capita tax. The retirement board assesses the amount of the teachers' retirement.

RECEIPTS

	Financial Report 1959-1960 Receipts	Adopted Budget 1960-1961	Estimated Receipts 1960-1961	Proposed Budget 1961-1962
Balance on Hand	$1,408.78	$1,500.00	$1,932.36	$1,000.00
Federal Aid	490.25	119.00	119.00	108.02
State Aid	10,487.99	10,000.00	11,183.49	11,000.00
Elementary School Tuition	400.00		1,103.90	
High School Tuition			190.00	
Trust Funds	33.62	30.00	30.00	30.00
Other Income	69.32			
TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN TAXES	$12,889.96	$11,649.00	$14,558.75	$12,138.02
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	33,784.17	34,787.03	33,171.18	36,796.53
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED BY DISTRICT	$46,674.13	$46,436.03	$47,729.93	$48,934.55

FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial Report of the Bath School District for the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1959,, and Ending June 30, 1960.

Receipts

Federal Aid		
National School Lunch and Special Milk	$ 370.68	
Other	119.57	
Total		$ 490.25
State Aid		
Foundation Aid	10,487.99	
Total		10,487.99
Local Taxation		
Current Appropriation	32,000.00	
Balance due on Previous Appropriations	1,784.17	
Total		33,784.17
Other Sources		
Elementary School Tuition	..400.00	
Trust Funds	33.62	
Other	69.32	
Total		502.94
Total Net Receipts from All Sources		$ 45,265.35
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1959 General Fund	1,408.78	
Total		1,408.78
Grand Total Net Receipts		$ 46,674.13

Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Expenditures and Gross Transactions

A. RECEIPTS

Total Net Income Plus Cash on Hand July 1, 1959	$ 46,674.13
Receipts from Refunds, Double Payments, "In and Out" Transactions Between Districts, Transfers to or from Building or Other Accounts, etc.	0.00
TOTAL GROSS INCOME	$ 46,674.13

B. PAYMENTS

Total Net Payments Plus Cash on Hand June 30, 1960	$ 46,674.13
Payments Refunded or Returned, Payments Made On Centralized Purchasing for Other Districts, Transfers to or from Building Accounts, etc.	0.00
TOTAL GROSS PAYMENTS	$ 46,674.13

PAYMENTS

	Total Amount	Support of High School	Support of Elem. School
Administration:			
Salaries of District Officers	$ 280.00	$	$ 280.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	341.33*		341.33
Tax for State Wide Supervision	276.00	78.00	198.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	139.60		139.60
Supplies and Expenses	264.88		264.88
Instruction:			
Teachers' Salaries	11,518.19		11,518.19
Books and Other Instructional Aids	120.18		120.18
Scholars' Supplies	700.73		700.73
Supplies and Other Expenses	125.47		125.47
Operation of School Plant:			
Salaries of Custodians	500.00		500.00
Fuel or Heat	511.89		511.89
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	246.70		246.70
Maintenance of School Plant:			
Repairs and Replacements	537.57		537.57
Auxiliary Activities:			
Health Supervision	264.26		264.26
Transportation	7,452.12	3,066.70	4,385.42
Tuition	20,676.92	15,631.92	5,045.00
Special Activities and Special Funds	177.14		177.14
School Lunch (Federal and District Funds only)	1,195.68		1,195.68
Fixed Charges:			
Retirement	838.12		838.12
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	34.03		34.03
TOTAL NET CURRENT EXPENSES	$46,200.81	$18,776.62	$27,424.19
TOTAL NET PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	$46,200.81	$18,776.62	$27,424.19
CASH ON HAND AT END OF YEAR, JUNE 30, 1960 General Fund	473.32		
GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS	$46,674.13		

***SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY**

Bath	$ 341.33	Piermont	$ 430.14
Haverhill	1,329.48	Warren	349.89
Monroe	1,417.21	Woodsville	1,481.95

TOTAL ..... $5,350.00 (Local Share); $3,250.00 (State's Share)

Balance Sheet, June 30, 1960

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1960	$ 473.32
Accounts Due to District:	
From Town or City	3,386.60
TOTAL ASSETS	$3,859.92
GRAND TOTAL ASSETS	$3,859.92

Liabilities

Accounts owed by District:	
Teachers' Salaries	$1,777.68
OASI	42.67
D. Johnson	107.21
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$1,927.56
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	1,932.36
GRAND TOTAL ASSETS	$3,859.92

Report On Tuition Receipts and Payments

Tuition Receipts	**Elem.**	**H.S.**
N. H. School Districts	$ 400.00	
Total Receipts	$ 400.00	

Tuition Payments	**H.S.**	**Elem**
N. H. School Districts	$ 15,631.92	$ 4,805.00
Out of State and Other		240.00
Total Payments	$ 15,631.92	$ 5,045.00

Special Accounts

Activity A—School Lunch Program—Receipts and Payments

Receipts

District General Fund	$ 825.00
Other Receipts	370.68
Lunch Sales etc.	1,723.73
Total receipts	$2,919.41
Cash on Hand July 1, 1959	260.17
GRAND TOTAL	$3,179.58

Payments

Elementary	$2,797.59
Total Payments	$2,797.59
Cash on Hand June 30, 1960	381.99
GRAND TOTAL	$3,179.58

Activity A—School Lunch Program

Balance Sheet, June 30, 1960

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1960	$381.99
Total Assets	$381.99
GRAND TOTAL	$381.99

Liabilities

Excess of Assets Over Liabilities	$381.99
GRAND TOTAL	$381.99

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

School District of Bath

Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

Summary

Cash on Hand July 1, 1959		$ 1,408.78
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	$32,000.00	
Balance of Previous Appro.	1,784.17	
Received from State Treasurer		
State Funds	10,607.56	
Federal Funds	370.68	
Received from Tuitions	400.00	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	33.62	
Received from all Other Sources	69.32	
Total Receipts		$45,265.35
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		$46,674.13
Less School Board Orders Paid		46,200.81
Balance on Hand June 30, 1960		$ 473.32

ALDEN W. MINOT
July 15, 1960 District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bath Town of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

GEORGE C. MINOT
August 15, 1960 Auditor

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Bath School District:

I submit, herewith, my fourteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

1959-1960

Different pupils registered during year	78
Average membership	74.5
Percent of attendance	95.9
Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy	9
Number of children age 6-14 not attending any school	1
Pupils whose tuition was paid by District:	
Elementary	25
Secondary	47
Non-resident pupils	2
Pupils transported at District expense:	
Elementary	53
Secondary	45

Roll of Honor for Perfect Attendance for Full Year:

Ide, Steven, Grade 2
Lang, Bryan, Grade 3
Elliott, Roberta, Grade 4
Elliott, Linda, Grade 5
Ide, Shirley, Grade 5
Darling, Susan, Grade 6
Foster, Nancy, Grade 6
Peters, Nancy, Grade 6
Richardson, Spencer, Gr. 7

Promoted from Grade 8 to High School June 1960

Foster, Herbert
Millette, Cassandra
Poor, Patricia
Roy, Anita
Stewart, Maxwell
Woolson, Michael

Enrollment by Grades

	Grades								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Bath Village	10	12	11	7	13	7	12	6	78

1960-1961

The population of the Bath Village School has increased by fourteen pupils over the 1959-1960 school year. There were 89 pupils enrolled in September 1960. This increase was due, primarily, to a large class of twenty pupils in grade one.

All teachers returned, which provided a continuity of instruction that is a definite advantage in upholding the standards of our system.

We in America enjoy the highest standards of living and productive employment in the world. Although our people form only 6 percent of the world's population and occupy only 7 percent of the globe's surface, we consume 34 percent of the world's goods and produce about 50 percent of the world's manufactured products.

This material progress must be accompanied by moral and intellectual growth. It is a supreme function of education to see that humanistic studies and social sciences are kept abreast of technological progress so that man remains the master, rather than the slave, of the machine.

When the Russian sputniks went into orbit around the earth, a storm of apprehension rolled over our country. How did it happen that Russia should lead the way in fashioning artificial moons to course in space? The country was told that our schools were neglecting science and mathematics. As Barzun put it, "The moment a satellite appears in the sky or a rocket fails to go off . . . nothing but science and engineering seems to matter".

More, not less, math—The fact is that more boys and girls of high-school age are taking mathematics and science than at any other time in the United States. A study made by the National Education Association

points out that the majority of public schools offer a full program in mathematics and science, and that those lacking a major course in these subjects are small schools with small enrollments. Furthermore, leaders in school administration have been urging state legislatures to establish larger school districts for years, in order to discourage high schools too small to provide an adequate curriculum. Lack of teachers, funds, and equipment makes it impossible for small schools to offer a full program of studies.

In times of such public excitement, it is necessary for leaders of public education to maintain clarity and control in thought and action.

But as American satellites now circle the earth, and as mathematics and science take on a new popularity among our growing armies of space cadets, we can see the radical crash programs of 1958 in proper perspective. Tornadoes, cyclones, and hurricanes blow themselves out. Sound principles never die, but we cannot perpetuate democratic principles without daily and uncompromising effort.

The reports of Mrs. Muriel LaMott, R. N., and the Cooperative School Interim Committee, which follow, merit your attention.

Respectfully submitted,

PHIL A. BENNETT

Superintendent of Schools

Bath, N. H.

January 10, 1961

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Number of pupils examined 76

School Visits 18 Home Visits 27

Symptoms of Defects		Corrections
Vision	8	5
Teeth	62	17
Tonsils	3	1

All routine tests were completed. Written notices were sent to parents when defects were noted.

There is a great need for more dental care. Out of 62 referrals for correction, 17 were reported seen by dentists. It would seem that some form of dental clinic is needed. Teeth are important for general good health and good dental care cannot be stressed too much.

One pupil was X-rayed at the annual Chest Clinic held in Woodsville June 30, 1959. This Clinic is sponsored by the N. H. Tbc. Association and is paid for by contributions to the Christmas Seal Program.

One pupil was seen and tested at the Pediatric diagnostic Clinic in Littleton. This Clinic is sponsored by the N. H. Department of Health. We are very fortunate to have this type of service in our area. Every patient is examined by Dr. Hume, pediatric specialist, and, when special tests are needed, they are given by Mr. Harmes, psychologist on the clinic staff.

I want to thank Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cox, and his staff, Mrs. Whitney, and the parents and pupils for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MURIEL LaMOTT, R. N.

School Nurse

Births Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31,1960

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
January								
16 Littleton, N. H.	Suzanne Lynne Dusik	F	9	Arkade Dusik	Jean Beatrice Lamash	Bath, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	Windsor, Vt.
21 Littleton	Lance Wade Cate	M	3	Douglas F. Cate	Ruth Currier	Bath, N. H.	Woodsville, N. H.	Cochituate, Mass.
April								
6 Haverhill, N. H.	Richard James Foster	M	3	Carroll A. Foster, Jr.	Eunice A. Holbrook	Bath, N. H.	Laconia, N. H.	Landaff, N. H.
August								
17 Littleton, N. H.	Susan Dianne Whitcher	F	7	Wesley J. Whitcher	Georgieanna Dion	Bath, N. H.	Lyme, N. H.	Landaff, N. H.
September								
3 Littleton, N. H.	George Allen Towle, Jr.	M	2	George A. Towle	Margaret S. Richards	Bath, N. H.	Bath, N. H.	Woodsville, N. H.
13 Haverhill, N. H.	Deborah Jean Aldrich	F	3	Norman E. Aldrich	Rosalie B. Emerson	Bath, N. H.	Lyman, N. H.	Corinth, Vt.
October								
20 Haverhill, N. H.	Timothy Chalon Roy	M	3	Victor A. Roy	Jean L. Mitchell	Bath, N. H.	Woodsville, N. H.	Bath, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Occupation	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
June						
25 Woodsville, N. H.	Roger C. Mitton	Woodsville, N. H.	21	Truck Driver	Carl Mitton Leona Reil	A. W. Altenbern Minister Woodsville, N. H.
	Donna Harris	Bath, N. H.	18	Secretary	Edward Harris Goldie Smith	
July						
3 Bath, N. H.	Fred Joseph Gilbert	Lisbon, N. H.	59	Engineer	Archie Gilbert Mary Dustin	Ashley W. Doane Minister Lisbon, N. H.
	Alice Josephine Henderson	Lisbon, N. H.	56	Housewife	Horace Metcalf Lucy Cole	
17 N. Haverhill, N. H.	Robert Earl Robinson	Bath, N. H.	22	Painter	Charles H. Robinson Elsie D. Westover	Gerald E. Knight Minister North Haverhill, N. H.
	Shirley Louise Brown	No. Haverhill, N. H.	18	Student	Norman F. Brown Esther L. Kittredge	
30 N. Haverhill, N. H.	Stanley W. Weeks	Bath, N. H.	25	Painter	Clinton S. Weeks Bessie Lewis	Gerald E. Knight Minister North Haverhill, N. H.
	Arlene C. Carr	Bath, N. H.	21	Bank Clerk	Harold G. Carr Dorothy Wheeler	
October						
11 Bath, N. H.	Charles H. Daly, Jr.	Stowe, Vt.	54	Photo Engraving	Charles H. Daly Helen Dawson	Karl T. Bruckner Justice of the Peace Haverhill, N. H.
	Kathryn Hart	Stowe, Vt.	49	Commercial Artist	John B. Hart Emma Manger	
November						
5 Woodsville, N. H.	Michael O. Estes	Bath, N. H.	19	Machinist	Howard C. Estes Audrey R. Prescott	Sven A. Laurin Minister Haverhill, N. H.
	Sylvia K. Brill	Haverhill, N. H.	19	Beautician	William N. Brill Lois A. Mason	

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PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bath, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

Date and Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Sin., Mar., Wid.	Occupation	Name of Father	Name of Mother
January								
16 Littleton, N. H.	Guy Danforth Walton	61	Princeton, Mass.	M	M	Station Agent	Herbert Walton	Lena M. Whitcomb
18 Littleton, N. H.	Frederick L. Langevin	62	Canada	M	M	Wood Working	Domina Langevin	Hermine Odette
February								
29 Hanover, N. H.	Freeman Gallant	82	Nova Scotia	M	M	Retired R R Worker		
April								
2 Haverhill, N. H.	Donald Rene Tardiff	16	Berlin, N. H.	M	S	Student	Rene Tardiff	Mildred Forestall
3 Haverhill, N. H.	Mary Ledford Wilde	64	Ashville, N. C.	F	W	Housewife	Milton Ledford	Mary Cowan
4 St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Sarah E. Kimball	100		F				
17 Littleton, N. H.	Albert E. Knighton	82	Bulwer, P.Q.	M	W	Laborer	Thomas Knighton	
26 Lisbon, N. H.	Carlene T. Oakes	58	Bath, N. H.	F	W	Housewife	Harry F. Tewksbury	Addie Huntoon
June								
13 Woodsville, N. H.	Edward C. Atwood	85	Bath, N. H.	M	W	Retired Farmer	Charles D. Atwood	Emma Clough
25 Barnet, Vt.	Maurice Tewksbury	29	Bath, N. H.	M	S	Farmer	Melvin Tewksbury	Sarah Chase
Juiy								
28 Bath, N. H.	Leslie G. Oakes	60	Bath, N. H.	M	M	Truck Driver	Edwin I. Oakes	Jessie Williams
August								
12 St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Baby Boy Burrill	Stillborn		M				
September								
17 Haverhill, N. H.	Imogene M. Bailey	76	Bath, N. H.	F	M	Housewife	Frank Moulton	Marsha Atwood
October								
1 Haverhill, N. H.	Louis E. Campbell	80	Enosburg Falls, Vt.	M	M	Retired Farmer	Angus Campbell	Maria E. Blondin
8 Laconia, N. H.	Paul Fagnant	1	Littleton, N. H.	M	S	None	Richard Fagnant	Annabelle Smith
13 Bath, N. H.	Raymond M. Lang	91	Bath, N. H.	M	W	Farmer	William H. Lang	Ellen Titus
13 Haverhill, N. H.	Ada M. Day	87	Landaff, N. H.	F	W	Housewife	Frank D. Burbank	Ruth Williams
November								
3 Haverhill, N. H.	Charles G. Wright	71	Hitchcock, S. D.	M	M	Laborer	Charles Wright, Sr.	Ida Birch
15 Barnet, Vt.	James Hoyt Nutter	88		M				
26 Concord, N. H.	Shirley Aremburg	25	Bath, N. H.	F	M	Housewife	Earl George	Clara McQuesten
December								
23 Haverhill, N. H.	Milford E. Abair	58	Vershire, Vt.	M	M	Painter	Seward B. Abair	Alice Ackerman

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PHYLLIS B. SCHOFF, Town Clerk

PREVENTION IS OUR BUSINESS

Carelessness, HUMAN CARELESSNESS, causes 9 out of 10 forest fires. Each year 200,000 fires burn over 30 million acres in the United States. This represents 5 percent of our nation's woodlands being wasted each year. Every fire takes its toll. Floods follow; stream flow is affected; timber, buildings, grazing and wildlife are destroyed—all because MANY are CARELESS with fire in and near woodland. This can be remedied. YOU can put an end to this shameful waste! PREVENTION is YOUR business!

YOU, whether YOU be a farmer, homemaker, business or professional man or woman, municipal, state or federal official, clerk or woodsman can play an important part in the continuing and vital prevention program.

First—by setting a good example YOURSELF—being sensible and complying with the necessary laws and regulations governing the use of fire in and near woodlands.

Second—by using YOUR individual influence in your community and valued council with others in insisting and encouraging them to do likewise.

The following simple rules may be used as a guide both for YOU and for them.

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden—the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning—don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire, camp or debris, is DEAD OUT before leaving it.
4. Don't throw down lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes or from moving vehicles—make sure they are out—use your ash tray.
5. Don't burn at home—use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires—1.

Number of acres burned—½.

Number of permits issued—65.

ROSCOE G. OLNEY
Forest Fire Warden

GERALD GROSS
District Chief

A Profile of the White Mountains Region Association

WHAT IS IT?

The WMRA is a voluntary, non-profit organization established in 1938 to promote the growth and prosperity of that section of New Hampshire known as the White Mountains Region which includes the towns of: Albany, Bartlett, Bath, Benton, Bethlehem, Campton, Carroll, Chatham, Clarksville, Colebrook, Columbia, Conway, Dalton, Dummer, Easton, Ellsworth, Errol, Franconia, Gorham, Hart's Location, Haverhill, Jackson, Jefferson, Lancaster, Landaff, Lincoln, Lisbon, Littleton, Lyman, Milan, Monroe, Northumberland, Piermont, Pittsburg, Randolph, Shelburne, Stark, Stewartstown, Stratford, Thornton, Warren, Waterville, Wentworth's Location, Whitefield, Woodstock, and the city of Berlin.

WHO ARE ITS OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS?

President: George T. Noyes, Bethlehem; **Vice President:** Reginald M. Colby, Littleton; **Clerk:** George T. Hamilton, Gorham; **Treasurer:** Arthur M. Drake, Lancaster. **Directors:** J. Arthur Sullivan, Berlin; Samuel G. Hall, Beebe River; Walter B. Knight, Jr., Monroe; Harvey Converse, Pittsburg; Channing Evans, Berlin; John H. Boothman, Randolph; Joseph B. Dodge, North Conway; Alf Halvorson, Berlin; Randall E. Spalding, Whitefield; Horace B. Knight, Woodsville; Frank D. Silvey, North Conway; and Leonard Vancore, Colebrook. **Executive Secretary:** Donald E. Sanborn, Jr., Lancaster.

WHERE IS IT LOCATED?

Its business office is in the National Bank Building, 5 Middle Street, Lancaster.

WHAT IS ITS JOB? Economic development and promotion. The WMRA works independently and in cooperation with various trade associations, chambers of commerce, clubs, and local, State and Federal agencies to improve those conditions upon which the North Country's business depends.

HOW IS THIS ACCOMPLISHED? Through the voluntary cooperative efforts of progressive business men and women in the White Mountains Region. These people serve on committees and work on projects to develop and promote the following segments of our economy: manufacturing and crafts, commerce and vacation travel, agriculture, and natural resources.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, please write, phone, or visit the WMRA business office in Lancaster. We shall be pleased to supply our 1960 annual report, samples of our promotional literature and other information upon request.

DONALD E. SANBORN, JR.,
Executive Secretary

January, 1961